

CLAIMS:

1. A holder for a grease gun having a generally tubular body, the holder comprising:

a wall mount for securement to an upright supporting surface; and

5 a clip device mounted on the wall mount for securably receiving the tubular body of the grease gun therein.

2. The holder according to Claim 1 wherein there is provided a tray supported on the wall mount below the clip device.

3. The holder according to Claim 2 wherein the tray includes side
10 walls to form a receptacle suitable for containing a liquid therein.

4. The holder according to Claim 1 wherein there is provided a nozzle holder supported on the wall mount for securing a nozzle of the grease gun therein.

5. The holder according to Claim 4 wherein the clip device is
15 spaced outwardly from the wall mount and wherein the nozzle holder is located directly adjacent the wall mount.

6. The holder according to Claim 4 wherein there is provided a tray supported on the wall mount below both the nozzle holder and the clip device in respective vertical alignment with each of the nozzle holder and the clip device.

20 7. The holder according to Claim 4 wherein the nozzle holder comprises a cradle for supporting the nozzle therein lying parallel to the wall mount.

8. The holder according to Claim 1 wherein the clip device comprises a pair of flanges spaced apart from one another to define a spring clip.

9. The holder according to Claim 8 wherein the pair of flanges
25 include a concave interior profile conforming to a shape of a body of the grease gun.

10. The holder according to Claim 1 wherein the wall mount

comprises a plate having mounting apertures therein which supports the clip device at one end and a tray projecting outwardly from the plate at an opposite end from the clip device.

11. A method of storing a grease gun having a generally tubular
5 body, the method comprising:

providing a holder having a clip device for securably receiving the tubular body of the grease gun therein;

mounting the clip device on an upright supporting surface; and

supporting the tubular body of the grease gun in the clip device.

12. The method according to Claim 11 including providing a tray on
10 the holder below the tubular body of the grease gun.

13. The method according to Claim 12 including providing sides on the tray so as to be suitable for retaining a liquid therein.

14. The method according to Claim 1 including supporting the
15 tubular body of the grease gun in the clip device in an upright orientation.

15. The method according to Claim 11 including providing a nozzle holder on the holder and supporting a nozzle of the grease gun in the nozzle holder.

16. The method according to Claim 15 including supporting the
20 nozzle of the grease gun between the tubular body of the grease and the supporting surface.

17. The method according to Claim 15 including providing a tray on the holder below the tubular body of the grease gun and supporting the nozzle of the grease gun in the nozzle holder above the tray.

18. The method according to Claim 15 including supporting the
25 nozzle in the nozzle holder to lie parallel to the supporting surface.

19. The method according to Claim 11 including providing a

mounting plate supporting the clip device thereon and securing the mounting plate to the supporting surface.

20. The method according to Claim 19 including providing a tray on the mounting plate spaced below the clip device.